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MANY WINTER SPORT INQUIRIES

From all over the state inquiries are coming in, wanting to know about our winter sports plans. Following is just one of many letters received and is a fair sample of the many others:

December 12, 1931.
Postmaster,
Grayling, Michigan.

Dear Sir:
Will you please write me immediately so that I will have it here by Friday, advising when the first of the Grayling Winter sports begin and what their duration of time is? I would have particular reference to scheduled events for week-ends during the month of January, including of course the latter part of December.

Thanking you in advance for the courtesy of an immediate reply, I am, Very truly yours,

C. L. Ayres.
Mr. Ayres is president of the American Life Insurance Co., Detroit, one of the leading life insurance companies in America. When he talks it means business; and so it is also with many of the other inquiries.

Just when our winter sports will begin isn't an easy matter to answer. Much depends upon the weather. Last year it wasn't until after the Christmas holidays that we were able to open.

The skating rink is already in operation. All that was necessary for that was freezing weather, and we have had plenty of that lately.

Toboggan slides are expensive to build, but the committee says they will start construction just as quickly as there is sufficient snow and the weather promises to continue cold. Everything is in readiness for construction. The take-off is set, and the new electric conveyor for hauling the toboggans up the steep incline also is ready for operation. This is a new feature that is going to improve the sports wonderfully. It was an expensive affair and no doubt will require a lot of electricity to run it. Electric lights are now being installed.

It has taken a lot of nerve to begin this enterprise in the face of the fact that there are thousands of people out of work and out of funds for recreational purposes. Under normal conditions there is no doubt but that Grayling would be the mecca for winter recreation. But the idea of winter play is taking a firm grip onto the public, and especially here where "everybody plays" and where it doesn't cost a lot of money to participate. All it costs is from \$2 to \$3 a day for a room at the hotel; whatever one cares to pay for meals, and small fees privileges at the big hill. Toboggan rides are only a nickel, and other charges in proportion. There is no commercialization here in any way, and the public have found that out and they know that it isn't going to cost a fortune to play here.

Many people bring their own toboggans, but for those who do not, the committee has provided about thirty new, modern toboggans that may be rented at a small price. Efforts are being made to secure two bobsleds. These cost about \$150.00 each. This feature, we predict, is going over just as big as the toboggan slide. As fast as there is a demand for increase in equipment it will be provided, say the committee.

Last year we had no pavilion where people might get warm and rest if desired. This year there will be the new club house 20 by 50 feet in size that will be only about \$1,000, and it is said, will only be temporary and that within another year or two there will be a regular winter club house provided.

We cannot help but feel proud of our business men and citizens generally for the way they have come

to the front with financial assistance. Every year it has cost the local people about \$500 in donations to keep up this feature. There was some talk of discontinuing the winter sports, but the fact is, the outside people won't let us. And besides we have been so widely advertised that it would be a mistake to drop out and lose all this wonderful prestige. But the goal has again been set and, thanks to the young men and others who have helped, we're going to put it over many, many, many times bigger than ever before.

WORK BEGINS ON HIGHWAY M-93

A contract for the construction of a state trunk line highway running from Highway US-27 east through the Hartwick Pines State Park has been granted by the State Highway Department.

Work has already started on the road, which will be of gravel construction, and it is expected that it will be completed by spring.

The road will branch from US-27 about three miles north of Grayling and will run northeast connecting with the Frederic-Lovells road after passing through the Park.

Construction of this road is expected to enhance the popularity of the state park which until this time has been accessible only by means of a dirt road. It will also mean that automobiles will be able to reach the park during the winter months.

For some time the Parks Division of the Conservation Department has been asked for transportation facilities to the park during the winter months. The eighty-acre tract of virgin pines, forming the unique feature of the area, have a special appeal during the winter months, and together with the more than 8,300 acres of state park property surrounding the pines, offer an inducement for winter sports.

Because of the excellent game cover offered by the large area which contains both highlands and swamps, deer and other forms of wild life are frequently seen, and especially so during the winter months.

G. H. S. GOES TO CHEBOYGAN FRI.

Friday, the Grayling High School basketball team went to Cheboygan to play the Cheboygan High School.

Cheboygan has always had excellent teams, and this year's team is no exception, judging from the rumors. They have four veterans on their squad.

Coch Cushman's squad has made a lot of improvement over their playing in the Roscommon game, and are making a better showing than ever.

We hope to see a lot of the Grayling fans at the Cheboygan game. If we give the boys our support they will win. G. H. S. has a great team and with the fans behind them they are sure to win.

Come on, folks! Let's move in on Cheboygan 100%.

"Gabby."

BENEFIT SHOW FOR WINTER SPORTS

The Winter Sports association are to reap the benefits from the show at the Rialto theatre next Tuesday and Wednesday evening, when the big Legion Parade that was staged in Detroit in September will appear on the screen.

This was a sight of sights and if you want to see something entrancing don't miss seeing the great parade. Nothing like it before nor since has ever been staged.

WILL CELEBRATE 100TH ANNIVERSARY

SISTERS OF MERCY TO MARK CENTENARY, DEC. 12, 1931

Religious Orders grew up in the church from roots of faith, hope and charity and they grew by fixed and definite laws. The objects are ever the same, love of God, love of neighbor and personal sanctification.

The Order of Mercy, now a century in existence is one of the latest plants in the divine economy of good, and like the Cedar of Lebanon stands in the magnificent and beautiful garden of the works of charity. It came into existence when education was forbidden by law, and the hardships were many in Ireland. What St. Vincent de Paul inaugurated for the homeless and abandoned children in France, that Catherine McAuley and her companions did for the poor and afflicted in Ireland.

The Sisters of Mercy organized in 1827, became a religious congregation December 12, 1831, when Sister M. Catherine McAuley and her two companions, Sister M. Anne Smith and Sister M. Elizabeth Harley, made the vows of poverty, chastity, obedience and service for the poor, sick and ignorant and to persevere till death in the Order of Mercy. The Constitution of the order was approved in 1835 and was confirmed by the Pope Gregory XVI, June 6, 1841.

Founded on Baginot street, Dublin, the Order spread rapidly throughout Ireland, Scotland, Wales, England, Australia, New Zealand, Newfoundland and South America.

It is fitting to give a brief sketch of the life of one, who was the instrument, raised up by divine providence to be the Raphael of the new blessing to the world and to the poor.

Catherine Elizabeth McAuley was born September 29, 1787 at St. Mary's town, County Dublin. Her parents were James and Eleanor McAuley. She was the oldest of three children. A beautiful child with soft blue eyes and golden hair. Affectionate, in short was eminently gifted with that loving, unselfish nature which is always ready to sacrifice self to the good and happiness of others. Her first training in her life's work was when a child she accompanied her devoted father on his visits of charity to the poor of the district. She was deeply impressed by the terrible conditions which existed; the misery and poverty which never left her young mind.

Her parents died while she was still young. Later she was adopted by a very wealthy couple, Mr. and Mrs. Callaghan, who aided her in her works of mercy. Catherine became mistress of one of their large fortunes. It was used by her in caring for the needy and for the alleviation of human misery wherever found. She showed her compassion for the sick by erecting a large building on Baginot street, Dublin, where, with the aid of a number of pious ladies, she cared for the poor and afflicted. This was the cradle of the Order of Mercy. After ten years of service to the Order she had founded, with the establishment of fourteen houses of the Order, Mother Catherine McAuley breathed forth her soul into the hands of her Creator November 11, 1841. How short a time, yet how wonderful the works of a mighty mind—that expansive heart. This great woman had three objects in view in founding the Order of Mercy, the instruction of children by founding schools and colleges, the care of sick and afflicted, and the care of distressed and working girls of good character; and far beyond the most sanguine expectations she succeeded in realizing her desire, the relief of suffering and destitute humanity.

The first foundation of the Order in United States was established in Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania, December 22, 1843 by Sister Xavier Ward, called "The American Foundress." By the time the war of 1861 commenced the Sisters were located in great numbers of States in the Union and were equipped to assist in the care of the sick and dying soldiers. The story of the Sisters of Mercy in Michigan begins with the opening of the first convent in Grand Rapids, September 24, 1873 at the request of Rt. Rev. Bishop Borgess. St. Andrew's was the first parochial and high school of that city and the Sisters of Mercy the first religious teachers.

Mother Joseph Lynch was the Michigan foundress. At the request of the Rt. Rev. Bishop, who was keenly alive to the needs and suffering among the men employed in lumbering districts, and who had no place to go for care and many died of neglect, whose lives need not have been sacrificed had hospital care been given them, Mother Joseph Lynch, our Michigan foundress consented to undertake this arduous task. In October, 1878 she and nine Sisters left Grand Rapids for Big Rapids and soon after began the erection of a hospital.

Mother Joseph Lynch was eminently fitted to undertake this work, having nursed in the Crimean War and in the Civil War, also in the cholera hospitals. She and her companions generously set to work in the heart of the majestic forests of

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The Legion on Parade

Rialto Theatre, Grayling
Tues. and Wed.
Dec. 15 and 16

Also
WALTER HUSTON
in
"THE RULING VOICE"
BENEFIT WINTER SPORTS

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G. H. S. WINS FROM ROSCOMMON

Roscommon took a couple of jolts last Friday night when Grayling's greenclads managed a double victory on the local court. The Sectionals achieved a 12-9 win over the Southerners and the varsity agitated a 22-14 victory over the hard-fighting visitors. About as many followers of the invaders saw the game as Grayling fans.

It has been said that perfect basketball will produce scoreless games. While the reserves of the two schools played far from perfect ball, yet the score didn't climb fast. The Northern Lights had the advantage of the count clear through, but it wasn't a whole lot. It was an entertaining proposition at least.

In the feature bill Roscommon jumped into an early lead on Daugherty's free toss and Cousineau's goal. Grayling was almost blanked for the period, but Harrison's basket saved the situation. In the second quarter Grayling jumped into the lead and clung to a 5-7 margin at the half. They increased it to 14-7 after another period, and while the opposition did better in the last quarter Grayling still out-counted them by a point.

As could be expected from an early season game tagged play was quite in order. The locals took a period to find their stride. Counting from scrimmage but three times in the last. And yet they should have rung up many more if they had been really dropping them in. The Roscommon club made a hard-fought clear through and never stopped trying. While their defense is better than their offense yet, fans felt that they showed to good advantage. They tangled with West Branch next and a most interesting game should follow.

This week the locals journey to take the floor against Cheboygan. And the next Friday night will find them entrenched in the local stronghold, battling Alpena's Class B invasion. And a lot of folks are going to be on hand to see that feature attraction. It's going to be worth it. Later the Cheboygan tossers pay Grayling a visit.

The lineups follow:

Grayling—22.				
Name	Pos.	FG	FT	PP
Gothro, F. G.		1	1	1
J. LaGrow, F.		0	0	0
Sorenson, F.		1	0	0
SanCartier, F.		0	0	0
Dawson, C. F.		2	0	1
Harrison, G. C.		4	0	2
Sheehy, G.		2	1	1
Totals		10	2	5

Roscommon—14.				
Name	Pos.	FG	FT	PP
Cousineau, F.		1	0	2
Gardner, F.		0	0	1
Subs, C.		2	0	3
Johnson, G.		0	1	0
Daugherty, G.		3	1	2
Gretnan, G.		0	0	0
Totals		6	2	8

Grayling Reserves—12.				
Name	Pos.	FG	FT	PP
Marshall, F.		1	0	0
LaMotte, F.		1	1	0
Knibbs, C.		1	2	1
Hoesli, G.		0	0	1
Malloy, G.		0	0	0
D. Gothro, F.		0	0	0
Swanson, F.		1	0	0
Winterlee, C.		0	0	0
Amis, F.		0	0	0
Charron, F.		0	1	0
A. Corwin, G.		0	0	0
C. Corwin, G.		0	0	0
Totals		4	4	2

Roscommon Reserves—9.				
Name	Pos.	FG	FT	PP
Shervan, F.		2	1	2
Subey, F.		1	0	1
Sargent, F.		0	0	0
Rutledge, G.		0	0	1
Carlson, G.		0	0	2
Ostling, G.		1	0	1
Totals		4	1	7

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to extend our sincere thanks to our Grayling friends and others for the lovely celebration they arranged for us on our 60th wedding anniversary. And for the fine gifts sent us.

Mr. and Mrs. Severin Jensen.

The only chance the farm board has ever to get popular again will be for wheat to go to \$2 a bushel, for some reason or other.

DEPOSITORS MET TO DISCUSS MATTERS

Meeting held at the schoolhouse in the Village of Grayling on Tuesday, the 8th day of December, A. D. 1931.

Meeting was called to order by Mr. M. F. Nellist, who acted as Chairman, at 8:05 o'clock P. M., eastern standard time. Mr. John Bruun acted as Secretary of the meeting.

Minutes of meeting, held Friday the second day of October, A. D. 1931 were read and approved.

The Chairman then reported that an audit of the Bank of Grayling books, as well as some of the personal records of Mr. and Mrs. Marius Hanson had been made, in accordance with resolution passed at the meeting of the Depositors held October 2nd this year, the Depositors' Committee having engaged the services of Mr. O. W. Lyngklip, C. P. A. of Detroit, Michigan to perform this work, whereupon the Chairman requested the Secretary to read a synopsis of the audit as submitted by Mr. O. W. Lyngklip. The report having been read, the Chairman suggested that anyone having any questions to ask regarding the audit to do so at this time. No questions were asked and the Chairman then advised the Depositors that a complete copy of the report would be available at his office for any depositor who might want to look the audit over.

The Chairman then explained that no dividend on the Bank of Grayling deposits had been paid by the Receivers as yet, although the Receivers were ready to pay a dividend of approximately 10% the 5th inst., subject, however, to a court hearing. The Court being busy at this time in Detroit and elsewhere may not be able to give the Receivers the necessary hearing before the regular January term of court, although efforts are being made to secure a hearing at an earlier date if possible.

The Chairman then stated that the principal reason for this meeting was to secure the Depositors' opinion as to the matter of making settlement with Marius Hanson regarding the exemption pertaining to his house, cars, furniture, etc., granted by law, and in that connection the Chairman read a letter from Clark & Henry, Attorneys for the Receivers, First National Bank, Bay City, Michigan, together with memorandum attached outlining Mr. Marius Hanson's proposal regarding this settlement, and the Chairman further outlined the form of settlement that would be satisfactory to the Depositors' Committee.

It appeared that there was but approximately \$1,000.00 difference in the two propositions. The Chairman then mentioned the fact that the Depositors through their Committee might start a civil suit against Mr. Hanson and possibly recover a greater share of the exemptions in question than could be recovered otherwise, or criminal action could be started in court there by attempting to prove fraud on the part of Mr. Hanson in his various past transactions, or the Depositors Committee if that were the wish of the Depositors could attempt to reach a settlement satisfactory to both parties without bringing suit. A thorough discussion of this matter followed and it appeared that inasmuch as the amount of settlement deemed fair and equitable by the Depositors' Committee and the proposition made by Marius Hanson to the Receivers through his Attorney as above stated differs to the extent of approximately \$1,000.00 only, the consensus of opinion of the Depositors present was that lawsuits if possible should be avoided and on motion made by Mr. T. P. Peterson, duly seconded by Mr. P. G. Zalsman, the following resolution was carried by unanimous vote:

Be it resolved, That the matter of property settlement here discussed be left in the hands of the Depositors' Committee.

Further discussion followed and it was clearly brought out that any settlement arrived at regarding the exemptions claimed by Mr. Marius Hanson under the law should be a settlement specifically and only covering the exemptions in question and such settlement should, in no way be considered settlement in full of other obligations owing the Depositors by Mr. Marius Hanson, or cover any other property that he might have.

The matter of Mr. Hanson's life insurance policies naming Mrs. Marius Hanson and Miss Lucille Hanson as beneficiaries was now more particularly discussed and the question raised whether or not the cash surrender value approximately \$3,500.00 at this time could be legally claimed by the Depositors as an asset which should be turned over to Mr. Hanson's Assignee in this case, Mr. A. J. Nelson in that connection read a letter from Mr. O. W. Lyngklip from which it appeared that since completing the audit, Mr. Lyngklip had looked further into the matter of these policies and gave as his opinion that the cash surrender value of same could not be legally claimed by the Depositors. The Chairman, Mr. M. F. Nellist, Attorney at law, stated that he in this case would be

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SCHOOL GIVING XMAS OPERETTA

As was announced in last week's issue of the Avalanche, the Music Department of Grayling High School is planning an operetta to be given by the grade children Wednesday evening, December 16th, at 8:00 o'clock. This is the one opportunity of the year to see the music work of our pupils. All parents and patrons are very cordially invited. There will be no admission charge.

The training has been done by the following members of the faculty: Music—Miss McAllister; Dances—Miss Monroe, and the speaking parts, Miss Hermann.

It is said that there is a crime slump in Chicago and this is one kind of slump we can all be in favor of.

Rialto Theatre (GRAYLING)

PROGRAM

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in
"LOCAL BOY MAKES GOOD"

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Walter Huston
in
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THURSDAY, DECEMBER 10, 1931

Local Happenings

Otto Failing had his tonsils removed at Mercy Hospital Monday.

Frank Olds of Midland spent the week end here visiting Mrs. Edith LaMont.

Preparations are being made by Mercy Hospital Aid society for their annual Charity Ball to be given on New Year's Eve at the High School gymnasium.

Earl Dawson drove to Detroit Sunday and accompanied Mrs. Dawson and little son Dickie home who have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Forbur for a week.

The ladies of the Bridge club were guests of Mrs. Fred Alexander Saturday afternoon at a very delightful luncheon at her home. The ladies were seated at small tables decorated with bouquets of varied flowers. At the bridge game that followed the luncheon, Mrs. Lorane Sparkes held the high score. Mrs. Emil Giegling was a guest of the club.

Frank Sanders and family enjoyed a visit from his daughter and her husband and family of near Toledo last Friday. Their unexpected visit was enjoyed very much as Mr. Sanders had not seen his daughter in several years.

Mr. and Mrs. Lorane Sparkes were hosts to twelve ladies and gentlemen Friday evening. The affair was given in honor of Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Bates whose birthdays occurred on Monday and Tuesday. The evening was spent playing bridge. Mrs. Eva Reagan and Mr. Roy Milnes won the high honors.

Special bargain prices on all house slippers, at Olsons.

Emil Kraus spent a few days the first of the week in Detroit.

Young men appreciate spats, socks and bedroom slippers from Olsons. Miss Ann Brady spent the week end in Peck, Mich., visiting her aunt.

Miss Clara Bugby spent the week end in Flint visiting her aunt Mrs. R. M. Porter and family.

Mrs. Holger Hanson and Miss Edna Muth are spending the week in Saginaw visiting relatives.

Xmas Cards are now on display. A fine lot at reasonable prices. Chris Olsen's.

Miss Bunny Montour spent the week end in Bay City as the guest of Miss Evelyn Johnson.

Florence Pikel, chef at Shoppenagons Inn left Wednesday to spend the holidays in Waterloo, Iowa.

Miss Edna Taylor spent the week end visiting her father Oscar Taylor and her sister Mrs. Bruce Greenberg and family.

The Woman's Home Missionary society held their regular meeting at the home of Mrs. Celia Granger Wednesday.

We test your Radio Tubes FREE! You will be surprised how much worn-out tubes weaken the reception. Use R.C.A. Tubes from Chris Olsen's.

The L. N. L. ladies will hold a bake sale at the Grayling Hardware Saturday, the 12th. Don't forget the date. The members are requested to furnish.

Quite a number of people viewed the new Chevrolet that was on display by Alfred Hanson, local agent at his garage last Saturday. This was the first day the new model was exhibited.

The Sisters of Mercy received word Tuesday from the State Board of Registration of nurses that Miss Clara Welch and the late Miss Faye Matheson had successfully passed the State examination and were entitled to the degree of R. N. Mr. and Mrs. Alex Hermann and daughter Arlene of Oscoda visited Mr. and Mrs. Paul Ziebell and Mrs. Anna Hermann and family Sunday. Other guests at the Hermanns home were Mrs. Emil Hermann and daughter Evelyn of Oscoda, Mrs. Will Hermann of Melvor and Miss Margaret Dameran of Detroit.

Mrs. Rupert Pearsall (Helen Sorajon) of Roscommon was guest of honor at a miscellaneous shower Thursday evening given at the home of Mrs. Herluf Sorenson. The evening was spent in playing games and cards and the hostess served a delicious lunch. The young bride was showered with a nice variety of pretty and useful gifts.

John Bruun is in Lansing on business today.

Mrs. Emil Neiderer and daughter Miss Helen Pond were callers in Gaylord Friday.

See the new slippers on our bargain rack at \$2.39, at Olsons.

Miss Margaret Nelson is spending the week in Saginaw visiting Mr. and Mrs. Axel Nelson.

Mrs. Hans Petersen entertained the Ladies of the Danish Sisterhood Tuesday afternoon.

Mrs. Minnie Kreauzer of Chicago visited her sister Mrs. Charles Allen and family last week.

Mr. E. D. Housler an official of Armour's & Co., Chicago, was in town Monday on business.

Alfred Hanson, local Chevrolet dealer delivered a new sport model sedan to George Olson this week.

Mrs. Lon Colten left Monday to visit relatives in Illinois. She was joined in Detroit by her sister Mrs. George Labo.

F. N. Lewtler of the State Agricultural department was in town Tuesday and Wednesday to inspect Christmas trees.

The advisory board of Grayling Mercy Hospital held its regular monthly meeting at the Hospital Wednesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Trudeau and family spent the week end in Lansing visiting Mrs. Trudeau's sister, Mrs. Albert Runsey. They were joined there by their sister Mrs. Charles F. Moore of Chicago.

Mrs. John Vaughn returned to her home in Detroit Tuesday after spending a few days visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Simon Sivrais. She came to attend the funeral of her uncle Isaac Lovely.

New reduction in prices at the Blanche Beauty Shop. All waves 50 cents, shampoos 50 cents, manicures 50 cents, permanents \$5. Adv. Mrs. Frank Muhr and son Billy returned to their home in Detroit Sunday after a several weeks' visit among relatives in Grayling and Gaylord. They were accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Fred Neiderer and family who will remain in Detroit for a few days' visit.

Mrs. M. A. LeMieux, mother of Mrs. C. J. McNamara, who has been a guest at the McNamara home for several weeks returned home Sunday. Mr. LeMieux and Mrs. Larry LeMieux of Flint drove here Friday and spent the week end accompanying the former home.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Hanson and Miss Marie Brown went to Bay City Saturday. Mr. Hanson attended the annual conference of the American Legion post commanders and adjutants, and also a meeting of the executive committee of the organization. The party motored to Flint Monday and drove back a new Chevrolet car.

Mrs. Esbern Hanson was hostess at a charming luncheon for her Bridge club at Shoppenagons Inn Tuesday afternoon. The long table was centered with a large bouquet of bronze chrysanthemums flanked by yellow tapers. At the home of Mrs. Hanson three tables were filled for bridge, the honors falling to Mrs. A. J. Joseph and Miss Ella Hanson, a guest of the club. Other guests included Mrs. Emil Giegling and Miss Margarethe Hanson.

Grayling Masonic Lodge No. 356 F. & A. M. held their annual election of officers Thursday night Dec. 3. The following officers were elected: George Schable, re-elected Worshipful Master; Otto Failing, Senior Warden; J. L. Martin, Junior Warden; George Olson, Treasurer; Roy Holmberg, Secretary; John Erkes, Senior Deacon; Clair Smith, Junior Deacon; Stewards, Clarence Robertson and E. Korvenen; Tyler, Frank Barnett. After the meeting the officers were duly installed for the ensuing year.

During the holiday time the volume of mail increases approximately 200 per cent. It is a physical impossibility to handle this great mass of mail matter efficiently and promptly within a few days. Therefore to assure delivery of their Christmas presents, cards and letters by Christmas Day the public should SHOP AND MAIL EARLY. Do your Christmas shopping so that you can mail your gifts, greetings, and letters to relatives, friends, and loved ones at least a week or two before Christmas according to the distance. This will not only make it certain that they are received on or before Christmas Day, but will be a great aid to your postal service and to postal employees and enable them to spend Christmas Day with their families.

Two Federal men came to town Saturday night and raided the Jack Pine Club owned by George Kudzen located north of Grayling just off of U. S. 27 near the airport. The raid was made under the direction of James Reid, chief agent in charge of the Bay City office and they confiscated a large amount of barreled beer and a well equipped electrically operated brewery. Alax Atkinson had gone to the club to kindle the fire so the place would be warm when Mr. Kudzen and family returned from Saginaw where they had spent a few days. Atkinson was there when the officers arrived and they took him into custody and awaited the arrival of Mr. Kudzen who made his appearance about ten o'clock. The following day the two men were taken to Bay City to appear in Federal court there.

The officers of the N. E. Michigan Development bureau have called a meeting to be held in West Branch December 15th for the purpose of organizing the farmers and land owners for their interests in their lands. The idea is to post their lands in order to produce more game and to secure a revenue therefrom. Also as a defense against vermin: producing better covers feed etc. That will give, it is claimed, more fish and game, more clean and satisfactory shooting; less trespass, and a real profit for the land owner. This would furnish greater attractions for the visitors and it is claimed, help North Eastern Michigan pay dividends. The meeting will be at 8:00 p. m., at West Branch, Dec. 15th. Marjorie Hanson and P. G. Zaleski will be in attendance and anyone else wishing to attend will be welcome; especially land owners.

The Misses Evelyn and Lillian Jordan spent the week end in Niles and Jackson.

Lots of new slippers just added to our bargain rack for \$2.39, at Olsons.

Mr. and Mrs. Goodrick of Flint were in Grayling Saturday visiting the latter's mother Mrs. David White.

Now reduction in prices at the Blanche Beauty Shop. All waves 50 cents, shampoos 50 cents, manicures 50 cents, permanents \$5. Adv.

Don't forget the Rummage sale at the Health Center Saturday, Dec. 12. Sale begins at 9:30 o'clock.

St. Mary's annual Christmas party for the children of the parish will be held on Tuesday evening, Dec. 22nd.

Mrs. Clair Smith and Mrs. John Smith were invited to the Grayling Chapter O. E. S. No. 33 Wednesday night. A social evening was enjoyed.

The L. N. L. ladies will hold a bake sale at the Grayling Hardware Saturday, the 12th. Don't forget the date. The members are requested to furnish.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Hanson and family had as their guests Friday Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Larson and Mr. and Mrs. Louis Sorenson of Johannesburg.

Grayling Chapter O. E. S. will have their annual Christmas party at the American Legion hall on Thursday evening, Dec. 17. Each member will bring a gift and the lunch will be pot luck.

A very profitable meeting of St. Mary's Altar society was held at the home of Mrs. David Knoff Tuesday afternoon, when plans were made for taking care of needy families at Christmas time. Mrs. Knoff was assisted by Mrs. J. W. Leizkus and the ladies served a bountiful dinner, rabbit being one of the main dishes in the menu. There were 18 ladies present.

Wednesday night, Dec. 2, the L. N. L. held their annual election of officers. Newly elected officers were: President, Pearl Mathews; 1st vice president, Florence Wakley; 2nd vice president, Lura Bertl; chaplain, Edna Feldhauser; marshal, Emma Knibbs; assistant marshal, Helen Wythe; sentinel, Beatrice Bertl, and clerk, Lizzie Servon. At this meeting they also initiated five new members, Lura Bertl, Beatrice Bertl, Roscommon; Martha Peterson, Maple Forest; Lillie Ahman and Helen Wythe, Grayling. A very delicious lunch was served after the meeting. Installation of officers will be held January 6th.

EXTENSION LECTURE
VERY INTERESTING

PROF. MADDY GIVES FINE TALK ON MUSIC

Through the courtesy of the Woman's Club and the District Nurses Association the public was invited to hear a lecture on the subject "Enriching Human Life Through Music," given by Joseph E. Maddy, D. Mus., Professor of Music in the Division of Fine Arts of the State University, and Professor of Public School Music.

The program opened with a vocal solo "Roses of Picardy" by Mrs. Roy O. Milnes. Piano accompaniment was played by Mrs. Emil Giegling.

Professor Maddy was then introduced to the audience by Mrs. L. D. Herbison, President of the Woman's Club.

Mr. Maddy began his talk by illustrating how much leisure time the average family has today, what with the advent of labor saving machinery, shorter working hours, and other modern methods. Now the question is what to do with the leisure time! Let music solve the problem. Most homes have a radio in this day and age, but as Mr. Maddy points out, this is not the solution whereby music may be most enjoyed; it must be by participation in music in some form or other, such as community choral societies, church choirs, school and city band organizations, etc.

In a family group or gathering there are never too few to enjoy music, be it group singing, or selections by individuals, and there is nothing like music to keep up the spirits. This was truly demonstrated during the late war when community singing was in order at nearly every public meeting, whether it was bidding farewell to the boys called for service, Liberty Loan meetings, or other equally patriotic gatherings. Musical organizations



Christmas Morning

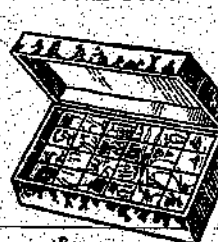
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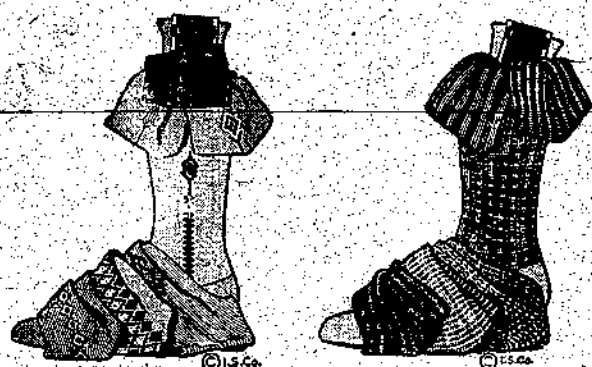
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Interesting Events In Grayling 23 Years Ago

INTERESTING ITEMS OF NEWS GATHERED FROM THE FILES
OF THE AVANTAGE OF 23 YEARS AGO.

Thursday, December 10, 1908

Mr. and Mrs. J. Manney have been enjoying a visit for the past week from his mother, Mrs. D. D. Allen of Bellaire.

Robert Reagan is nicely installed in a bookkeeping stint in the bank, where he seems decidedly at home. It is not quite as active a life physically as on the R. R., or on the diamond, but we presume will suit him fully as well at least 'till the bones of his fractured leg regain strength.

Comrade W. S. Chalker, of Maple Forest, was down on a business trip Monday. He has just finished shingling his new barn. Just in time to miss the big snow storm.

Mrs. A. Johnson and daughter, Mrs. E. L. James, arrived from Flint last Friday. Mrs. James will leave for home today.

Snow which fell Saturday and Sunday, changed all the wheels for sleighs Monday morning, there being about six inches of snow. Twelve inches were reported in Frederic and Maple Forest.

W. S. Chalker of Maple Forest has taken a contract with Salling, Hanson Co., for putting on board cars, a large quantity of hemlock bark, and the logs from which it is peeled. He will put sixteen men in the camp. He would not be happy without work.

A log train coming South through Lovells, Tuesday morning, met with a peculiar accident while crossing the bridge over the North Branch of the AuSable river. The engine and five cars had crossed the bridge when the structure went into the river with six cars. Luckily the coupling broke behind the derailed cars, leaving the way car, where the crew were, riding safely on the track on the north side of the bridge, so that no one

was injured.

The new Odd Fellows Opera house and lodge rooms is practically completed, and will be dedicated the 17th inst., at 8 o'clock p. m., at which ceremony the public is cordially invited.

Frederic News
(23 years ago)

Born—To Mr. and Mrs. John Sullivan, a son.

C. H. O'Neil and wife entertained his newly married sister Kittie, who is now Mrs. Sweet.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Richards had the misfortune to lose their infant, which only lived about one hour.

Miss Helen Smith went to Bay City Tuesday.

Mrs. C. D. Smith is going south to spend the winter.

Mrs. George Hunter has a new baby boy.

Oscar Charron is repainting his brother's house.

Lovells Local
(23 Years Ago)

C. W. Miller was doing business at the county seat Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Leighton were in town Tuesday.

Mrs. Thomas Walking entertained a number of guests at their residence Thursday evening.

Mrs. Inez Carrier is making an extensive visit at Lovells.

Chas. Douglas was in Grayling Saturday.

Elmer Bowman has his team helping Joe Simms skid some of the heavy logs. Mr. Bowman will commence hauling logs to the mill in a few days, as we have snow enough for good sleighing.

To keep a fruit cake in good condition, wrap it in waxed or parchment paper after it is entirely cold, and place it in a tight container. Some people like to put in with the cake an apple cut in half or a piece of cheesecloth saturated with cider. Look at the cake from time to time to see that no mold is appearing.

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Town Gives Practical Aid to Needy



The town of Rodford, Mich., has devised a practical means of aiding its jobless. Besides providing clothing and food, the local community house has a shoemaker and barber, set up by the township, whose sole duty is to attend to the wants of those in need. Thus job seekers are not handicapped by a shabby appearance. The photograph shows the town shoemaker at his work.

Small Island's History

The Isle of Man was under Norwegian, Scottish, and then English rule until, in Henry IV's time, it was bestowed upon the Stanley family—the earls of Derby, says an article in the Montreal Family Herald. It was bought by the crown a century ago for just under \$500,000 (about \$2,500,000). The island still has its own legislature called the tywald, consisting of two branches—the governor and council, and the house of keys.

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MOOSE OFTEN SEEN IN NORTH-ERN MICH.

Moose, probably swimming the narrow strip of water from Canada, have been seen frequently during the past few months in the east end of the upper peninsula. Recently a bull moose was seen by Ray McCullough and Alfred Lemieux of DeTour near Cedarville. Last summer a DeTour man was arrested for killing a moose and several have been seen in the vicinity of St. Ignace.

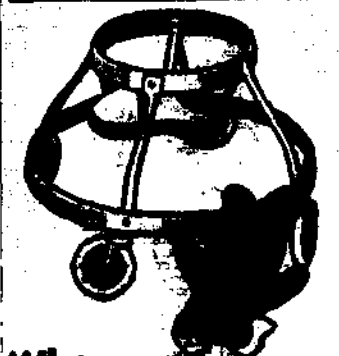
BEAVER CAUGHT BY FALLING TREE

A beaver, intent on his work of cutting down a tree, underestimated the velocity of the wind and the creature was crushed as the trunk fell and caught him before he could escape. William Bellows, Traverse City, a member of a deer hunting party camped north of Newberry found the dead animal and took it to camp. Then against the advice of others who warned him he would be arrested for possessing a beaver pelt out of season, William Love, also of Traverse City, turned the dead animal over to Julius Thomson, district conservation supervisor at Newberry. Love was thanked for his courtesy. It was the first instance recorded in Michigan of a beaver misjudging the fall of a tree.

LIVING CHRISTMAS TREE GROWS IN POPULARITY

Living Christmas trees are proving popular in many communities, according to the Forest Service, United States Department of Agriculture. They have been found suitable both for large outdoor celebrations, and for the family circle. A good tree on the lawn of the home adds to the beauty of the grounds and is a permanent improvement. It may also serve as a perennial Christmas tree, and save the expense of a new tree to be bought every year. Although Christmas tree cutting can be done without injury to the forest if carried on under good forestry principles, a considerable portion of the present-day supply comes to the market as the result of promiscuous, destructive cutting, and in some cases vandalism. In some cases a young tree with the roots properly balled and packed in a box may be used indoors and later set out to beautify the grounds. If a permanent tree is chosen for planting, many varieties will be found suitable. Spruces, firs, pines, and cedars adapted to the locality usually give best results.

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When BABIES are Upset

BABY life and ailments cause twins an awful lot of trouble. A sudden cry may mean colic. Or a violent attack of diarrhea. How would you meet this emergency—without giving your baby a bottle of Castor Oil?

For the protection of your two children your own health—keep this old, reliable medicine on hand. It is an ever-ready remedy for all the ailments of infancy. It is gentle, it is safe, it is sure. It is the only medicine that can be given to a baby without causing any harm. It is the only medicine that can be given to a baby without causing any harm. It is the only medicine that can be given to a baby without causing any harm.

How One Woman Lost 20 Pounds of Fat

Lost Her Prominent Hips—Double Chin—Sluggishness.

Gained Physical Vigor—A Shapely Figure.

If you're fat—first remove the cause! Take one half teaspoonful of KRUSCHEN SALTS in a glass of hot water every morning—in 3 weeks get on the scales and note how many pounds of fat have vanished. Notice also that you have gained energy—your sleep is clearer—you feel younger in body—KRUSCHEN SALTS give any fat person a joyous surprise. Get the little bottle of KRUSCHEN SALTS from Mac & Giddy's or any leading druggist anywhere in America (about 5 weeks). If this first bottle doesn't convince you this is the "sweet," "natural" and "sure" way to lose fat—your money gladly returned.

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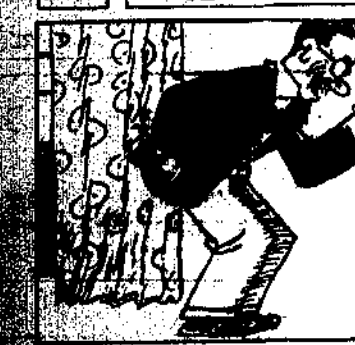
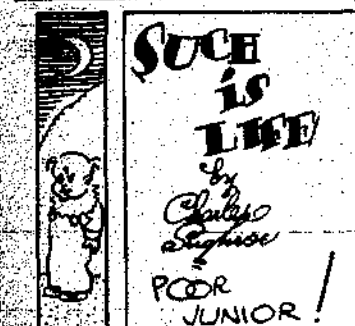
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FIRST SHIP'S PAPER

According to the Navy Recruiting station, Detroit, the first paper to be printed on board a ship of the U.S. Navy was "The Wave," printed on U.S.S. New York (now the Recruit ship) in 1884, when she was the pride of the Navy. The staff consisted of six men, including the editor, who did all the typesetting and press work. All hands contributed. The name appeared on the front in red, with this caption underneath: "Published in the interest of man-o'-war."



AGRICULTURAL NOTES



A dry cow needs plenty of minerals. Well-cured legume hay with wheat bran, cottonseed meal, or linseed meal will supply these.

Most poultrymen use the tobacco-dust treatment for large intestinal roundworms in the poultry flock, but there is a new treatment which is quicker and more effective, says the U. S. Department of Agriculture. It is a dose of tetrachlorethylene. One cubic centimeter is given in a gelatin capsule.

Hog cholera is often mistaken for influenza, pneumonia, parasites in pigs, tuberculosis, and swine plague, says the Bureau of Animal Industry. Even a veterinarian may be unable to diagnose hog cholera until he makes a post-mortem examination. This farmer who suspects hog cholera in his herd should call in a trained veterinarian.

Galvanized wire cloth placed around the trunks of fruit trees will protect them during the winter against rabbits which often gnaw off the bark. Put the wire cloth about 3 inches in the ground and 18 inches to 2 feet up the trunk, or more if used in a region where deep snows enable the rabbits to reach higher than would otherwise be the case. This offers some protection from mice also.

Buy fertilizers according to the analysis on the bag and not the trade name, says the U. S. Department of Agriculture. Trade names

Inside Information

Fry sausage cakes and canned pineapple, and serve them one on top of the other. The tartness of the pineapple offsets the rich flavor of the sausage.

When you choose a kitchen cabinet see that it is well-made, and mouse-proof; that the material of which it is made is easy to clean; and that the drawers and compartments are suitable in size and shape for the articles you will want to store in them.

To make hard sauce a little different, use brown sugar instead of white, and grate in the rind of an orange for flavoring. Hard sauce is good with almost any hot steamed pudding.

A cup of water placed in the oven when a fruit cake is baking helps to keep the right amount of moisture in the air and to prevent the cake from drying out.

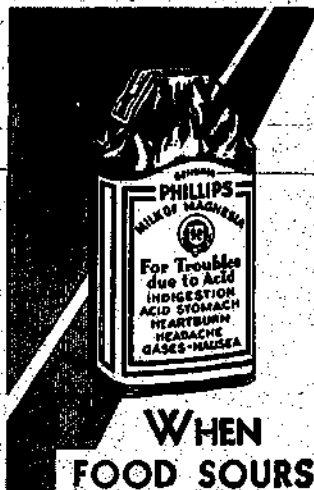
If building or remodeling a kitchen, make it oblong rather than square, to save steps in doing the work and to distribute the equipment most advantageously.

When a recipe calls for browned bread crumbs on top of any dish, melt the butter in a pan and mix the crumbs with it before spreading them on the food to be cooked. In stuffing, puddings, and other recipes calling for buttered crumbs, this method gives tastier results than placing dots of butter here and there on the dish.

The idea that juices in canned foods should be discarded is no longer accepted. Practically all vegetables except tomatoes are canned in slightly salted water, and fruits in sirup. In order to fill the can and assist in the proper cooking of the product. During processing, valuable minerals, sugars, and other soluble materials dissolve in the liquid. Discarding it means loss of food material. If it were harmful the food that is kept in it would not be fit to eat.

Here are some suggestions for tasty sandwiches for winter afternoon gatherings, either at home or elsewhere: Finely ground watercress, creamed with butter, and spread on graham bread; parsley, with a few drops of lemon juice, minced, and mixed with creamery butter in the same way; club cheese of sharp flavor, with chopped English walnuts, a few drops of onion juice, salt, and tomato catsup; orange rind, grated, and mixed with butter. Cut with fancy cookie cutters.

Fruit, nut, and other quick loaf breads are made from a mixture like that for muffins only slightly thicker in some cases. If the batter is comparatively thin, the fruit or nuts should be floured before being added. The temperature of the oven should be low enough for the bread to bake through without making the crust too hard or brown. For a small loaf, a temperature of about 375 degrees F. is about right; for a large loaf it should be lower. Test with a straw or toothpick. If you do not have a reliable muffin recipe, you will find one in Farmers' Bulletin 1460-F, "Home Baking."



WHEN FOOD SOURS

ABOUT two hours after eating, many people suffer from acute stomachache. They call it indigestion. It means that the stomach nerves have been overstimulated. There is excess acid. The way to correct it is with an alkali, which neutralizes many times its volume in acid.

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Take notice that sale has been lawfully made of the following described land for unpaid taxes thereon, and that the undersigned has title thereto under tax deed or deeds issued therefor, and that you are entitled to a reconveyance thereof at any time within six months after return of service of this notice upon payment to the undersigned or to the Register in Chancery of the County in which the lands lie, of all sums paid upon such purchase, together with one hundred per centum additional thereto, and the fees of the Sheriff for the service or cost of publication of this notice to be computed as upon personal service of a declaration as commencement of suit, and the further sum of five dollars for each description, without other additional cost or charges. If payment as aforesaid is not made, the undersigned will institute Proceedings for possession of the land.

Description of Land: State of Michigan, County of Crawford.

Part of Northeast 1/4 of Northeast 1/4, commencing at a point where the East 1/2 line of Section intersects the North shore of AuSable River as a point of beginning; thence North on said 1/2 line 90 feet, East 40 feet more or less to the West bank of South Branch of AuSable River; thence Southwest along North shore of said river to beginning; containing one acre more or less. Sec. 32, Town 26N, Range 1W. Amount paid \$11.52 tax for year 1924.

All in the County of Crawford, State of Michigan.

Amount necessary to redeem, \$28.04 plus the fees for service.

Arthur L. Watkins, place of business, Jackson, Michigan.

STATE OF MICHIGAN

The Probate Court for the County of Crawford.

At a session of said court held at the Probate Office in the Village of Grayling in said county, on the 28th day of November A. D. 1931.

Present: Hon. George Sorenson, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Emil Krage, deceased.

William Krage, of the Village of Grayling, having filed in said court his petition praying that the administration and settlement of said estate be granted to Merle F. Nellist, of the Village of Grayling or to some other suitable person.

It is Ordered, That the 28th day of December A. D. 1931 at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said probate office, be and is hereby appointed for hearing said petition.

It is Further Ordered, That public notice thereof be given by publication of a copy of this order once each week for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing, in the Crawford Avalanche, a newspaper printed and circulated in said county.

GEORGE SORENSON, Judge of Probate.

A true copy. George Sorenson, Judge of Probate.

MORTGAGE SALE

Default having been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage made by Albert J. Charron and Mabel C. Charron, to Louis Delaire, dated the third day of August, A. D. 1922, and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds for the county of Crawford and State of Michigan, on the 2nd day of October, A. D. 1922, in Liber 1 of mortgages, on page 410 on which mortgage there is claimed to be due at the date of this notice, for principal and interest, the sum of four hundred ninety-seven and four one-hundredths dollars, and an attorney's fee, and no suit or proceedings at law having been instituted to recover the moneys secured by said mortgage, or any part thereof.

Notice is Hereby Given, that by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage, and the statute in such case made and provided, on Saturday, the 30th day of February, A. D. 1932, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, the undersigned will, at the front door of the court house in the Village of Grayling, that being the place where the Circuit Court for the county of Crawford is held, sell at public auction, to the highest bidder, the premises described in said mortgage, or so much thereof as may be necessary to pay the amount so as aforesaid due on said mortgage, with seven per cent interest, and all legal costs, together with said attorney's fee, to wit: lot two of block two of Martha M. Brink's Addition to the Village of Grayling and lot six of block two of the Village of Grayling, according to recorded plats thereof.

Dated November 25, 1931. LOUIS DELAIRE, Mortgagee.

Merle F. Nellist, Attorney for mortgagee, Grayling, Michigan. 11-26-31

SHERIFF'S SALE

By virtue of a writ of fieri facias, issued out of and under the seal of the Circuit Court for the County of Crawford and State of Michigan, to me directed and delivered, in favor of Axel J. Peterson, Adm'r, against the goods and chattels, lands and tenements of Holger P. Peterson, I did, on the 23rd day of November, A. D. 1931, levy upon and take all the right, title and interest of said Holger P. Peterson, subject to the interest of the Estate of R. Hanson, in and to the following described real estate, situated in the County of Crawford, and State of Michigan, to wit: all those certain places and parcels of land situated in the Village of Grayling, County of Crawford and State of Michigan, known and described as Lots five and six of block eight of Hadley's Second Addition to the Village of Grayling, according to the recorded plat thereof, all of which I shall expose for sale at public auction, to the highest bidder, at the front door of the court house in the Village of Grayling, that being the building in which the Circuit Court for said County of Crawford, State of Michigan, is held, on Saturday, the ninth day of January, A. D. 1932, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon.

J. E. BOBENMOYER, Sheriff.

TO THE OWNER OR OWNERS OF ANY AND ALL INTERESTS IN OR LIENS UPON THE LANDS HEREIN DESCRIBED:

Take notice that sale has been lawfully made of the following described land for unpaid taxes thereon, and that the undersigned has title thereto under tax deed or deeds issued therefor, and that you are entitled to a reconveyance thereof at any time within six months after return of service of this notice upon payment to the undersigned or to the Register in Chancery of the County in which the lands lie, of all sums paid upon such purchase, together with one hundred per centum additional thereto, and the fees of the Sheriff for the service or cost of publication of this notice, to be computed as upon personal service of a declaration as commencement of suit, and the further sum of five dollars for each description, without other additional cost or charges. If payment as aforesaid is not made, the undersigned will institute Proceedings for possession of the land.

Description of Land: State of Michigan, County of Crawford.

The northeast quarter of the southeast quarter of Sec. 33, Town 26N, Range 2W. Amount paid \$13.23, tax for year 1923, 1924.

Amount necessary to redeem, \$... plus the fees of the Sheriff.

Raymond Peter, Assignee of Harry G. Burke. Place of business Roscommon, Michigan.

To Michigan Central Railroad Company, assignee of Jackson, Lansing and Saginaw Railroad Company, last grantee in the regular chain title of such lands or of any interest therein as appearing by the records in the office of the Register of Deeds of said County.

STATE OF MICHIGAN

The Circuit Court for the County of Crawford.

Philip Catesman and Louis Kuehl, co-partners doing business as Otisville Gravel Company, Plaintiffs.

Va. Yuen-Severin Machine Company, Defendant.

To whom it may concern:

Take notice that on the 12th day of September, 1931, a writ of attachment was duly issued out of the Circuit Court for the County of Crawford, at the suit of Philip Catesman and Louis Kuehl, plaintiffs above named against the lands, tenements, goods and chattels, money and effects of Yuen-Severin Machine Company, the defendant above named, for the sum of seven hundred sixty-one and 65-100 dollars, which said writ was returnable on the 13th day of October, 1931.

Dated, November 9, 1931. Merle F. Nellist, Attorney for Plaintiff, Grayling, Michigan.

MORTGAGE SALE

Default having been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage made by John E. Westcott, a widower, to Archibald Howse and Lydia A. Howse, dated the 2nd day of August, A. D. 1926, and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds for the county of Crawford and State of Michigan, on the 14th day of September, A. D. 1926 in Liber B of mortgages, on page 389 on which mortgage there is claimed to be due at the date of this notice, for principal and interest, the sum of one thousand three hundred thirty-eight and eighteen hundredths dollars, and an attorney's fee as provided for in said mortgage, and no suit or proceedings at law having been instituted to recover the moneys secured by said mortgage, or any part thereof.

Notice is Hereby Given, that by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage, and the statute in such case made and provided, on Saturday, the 16th day of January, A. D. 1932, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, the undersigned will, at the front door of the Court house, in the Village of Grayling, that being the place where the Circuit Court for the county of Crawford is held, sell at public auction, to the highest bidder, the premises described in said mortgage, or so much thereof as may be necessary to pay the amount so as aforesaid due on said mortgage, with five per cent interest, and all legal costs, together with said attorney's fee, to wit: the south-half of the northeast quarter and the northwest quarter of the southeast quarter of section sixteen, town twenty-eight north, range three west, Map 7, Forest Township, Crawford County, Michigan.

Archibald Howse and Lydia A. Howse, Mortgagees.

Merle F. Nellist, Attorney for Mortgagees, Grayling, Michigan. 10-22-31

MORTGAGE SALE

Default having been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage made by Harlan P. Smith, to William Corning, dated the 1st day of June, A. D. 1887, and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds for the county of Crawford, and State of Michigan, on the 8th day of July, A. D. 1931 in Liber D of mortgages, on page 51, on which mortgage there is claimed to be due at the date of this notice, for principal and interest, the sum of four hundred dollars and no suit or proceedings at law having been instituted to recover the moneys secured by said mortgage, or any part thereof.

Notice is Hereby Given, that by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage, and the statute in such case made and provided, on Saturday, the 19th day of December, A. D. 1931, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, the undersigned will, at the front door of the court house in the Village of Grayling, that being the place where the Circuit Court for the county of Crawford is held, sell at public auction, to the highest bidder, the premises described in said mortgage, or so much thereof as may be necessary to pay the amount so as aforesaid due on said mortgage, with 7 per cent interest, and all legal costs, together with attorney's fee, to wit: The northeast quarter of the southwest quarter of section thirty, town twenty-five north, range three west, Beaver Creek township, Crawford county, Michigan.

Dated, September 23, 1931. Earl F. Case, administrator with the will attached of the estate of William Corning.

Merle F. Nellist, Attorney for the administrator of said estate. 9-24-31

TO THE OWNER OR OWNERS OF ANY AND ALL INTERESTS IN OR LIENS UPON THE LANDS HEREIN DESCRIBED:

Take notice that sale has been lawfully made of the following described land for unpaid taxes thereon, and that the undersigned has title thereto under tax deed or deeds issued therefor, and that you are entitled to a reconveyance thereof at any time within six months after return of service of this notice upon payment to the undersigned or to the Register in Chancery of the County in which the land lie, of all sums paid upon such purchase, together with one hundred per centum additional thereto, and the fees of the Sheriff for the service or cost of publication of this notice, to be computed as upon personal service of a declaration as commencement of suit, and the further sum of five dollars for each description, without other additional cost or charges. If payment as aforesaid is not made, the undersigned will institute Proceedings for possession of the land.

Description of Land: STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Crawford.

The east half of the northeast quarter of Sec. 26, Town 26N, Range 2W. Amount paid \$96.58 tax for years 1923, 1924, 1925, 1926, 1927.

Amount necessary to redeem, \$... plus the fees of the Sheriff.

George R. Dreyer, place of business 222 N. Farragut St., Bay City, Michigan.

To William J. Bauerle and Hubbard Head, last grantees in the regular chain title of such lands or of any interest therein as appearing by the records in the office of the Register of Deeds of said County. 12-3-34

CHRISTMAS GREETING CARDS

You're going to need Christmas cards. Why wait until the rush. We have some beautiful new lines of samples; handsome ones at little cost and exquisite designs at slightly higher prices. No other family in Grayling will have cards like yours for we do not sell duplicates. Phone No. 111 for samples or call and see them. All plainly priced.

Avalanche Office.

SHERIFF'S SALE

By virtue of a writ of fieri facias, issued out of and under the seal of the Circuit Court for the County of Crawford, and State of Michigan, to me directed and delivered, in favor of Grayling Box Company, against the goods and chattels, lands and tenements of J. P. Cullen and Kathryn Cullen, I did, on the 10th day of November, A. D. 1931, levy upon and take all the right, title and interest of said J. P. Cullen and Kathryn Cullen, in and to the following described real estate, situated in the County of Crawford, and State of Michigan, to wit: All that certain piece and parcel of land situated in the Township of Grayling, County of Crawford, and State of Michigan, known and described as a piece of land bounded by a line commencing on the southeast corner of section thirty-three, town twenty-seven north, range two west; thence north forty rods; thence east seven rods to the place of beginning, being a part of the southeast quarter of section thirty-three, town twenty-seven north, range two west.

All of which I shall expose for sale at public auction, to the highest bidder, as the law directs, at the front door of the court house in the Village of Grayling, that being the building in which the Circuit Court for said County of Crawford, State of Michigan, is held, on Monday the 28th day of December, A. D. 1931 at 10 o'clock in the forenoon.

J. E. BOBENMOYER, Sheriff.

Merle F. Nellist, Attorney for Plaintiff. Dated November 10, 1931. 11-12-6

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MARIUS L. INSLEY

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New Chevrolets Now Displayed Aid Employment Throughout U. S.



Above: Special Sedan. Right: Head-on View.

Chevrolet's new car for 1932, embodying silent Synchro-Mesh transmission in combination with selective free wheeling as standard equipment at no extra cost, and practically every proven automotive advance of recent years, is now displayed at dealer showrooms throughout the country.

While remaining in the price class in which it won world leadership this year, the new 1932 models offer features heretofore considered exclusive to the high price field, as well as a new front end mounting never before shown.

Called "The Great American Value for 1932," the line offers in support of this slogan a twenty per cent increase in power, faster acceleration, top speeds of 60 to 70 miles an hour, new bodies with a modern stream-line styling, down-draft carburetion, counter-balanced crankshaft, finger-tight front seat adjustment, and many other refinements over the 1931 models, which, from the standpoint of public acceptance, were the most successful in the history of the company.

The new standard models are in the new line of which the Special Sedan, pictured above, is the aristocrat. The lower view shows the new front end and the massive, powerful appearing hood enclosing the improved engine.

In addition to interest centering on the cars themselves, the announcement at this time has national significance in that activity brought on by production of the new cars is expected, at conservative estimates, to add materially to the earnings of 200,000 people throughout the country just before the holiday season and before the severe winter season sets in.

The company's 21 domestic plants all now busy producing cars as fast as precision manufacturing limits will permit so that deliveries may be made with the least possible delay. More than 30,000 of the new cars already have been built for dealer showrooms displays, and more than that quantity

are expected to roll off the assembly lines during the present month.

The new car is the first in the low-price field to offer the combination of silent Synchro-Mesh transmission with selective free wheeling as standard equipment at no extra cost.

A control button on the instrument panel enables the driver to use the free wheeling device only when he desires, and he is thus able to utilize the full braking power of the engine when desired.

The front end offers a radically changed appearance, with a new type radiator, a radiator grille built integral with the hood, a double tie-bar arching gracefully between the fenders, on which are mounted bullet-shaped headlamps and a trumpet-type horn built beneath the left headlamp. All models have adjustable hood ports

chrome plated on all the sport and deluxe models, and all have cowl ventilators controlled from the driver's seat.

With the new streamlined bodies, the external sun visor has been eliminated, and its purpose is now served by an internal visor adjustable to any position in front of the driver.

A left front window also has an equalizer built in so that the driver may adjust the window with little effort. On the top roll of the instrument panel is a removable "help" key for the convenience of front seat passengers.

Robe rails, silk seat covers, window shades, arm rests and ash trays on both sides of the rear seat, dome light, foot rests, large door pockets and many other big cut refinements are standard with various models in the new line.

Make Christmas



Whispering in Santa's Ear

It really makes your heart beat faster to actually see Santa Claus, jolly and good natured, ever ready to listen to little whisperings. The amazing part about it is that he keeps it a secret until Christmas morning, when you find what you asked for, there beneath the Christmas tree. Ask your mother to bring you in to the Hanson Hardware store today. You both will be delighted with everything, and the prices will especially please your mother.

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Electric Heaters
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Electric Sun Lamp
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Electric Clocks

Just a tug of the switch and your Electric appliance is ready to answer promptly your beck and call.

There is no waiting, no fuss, bother or muss. Electric appliances are popular gifts, because of the utility they render, and the small cost to operate.

They are easy to purchase, too—there are many Electric appliance dealers here in town. For example, your hardware or furniture dealer displays and sells Electric appliances, anything from an Electric Percolator to a Kitchen Mixer, your Jeweler displays Electric Clocks or perhaps the dealer who sold you your automobile will be glad to demonstrate a new Radio in your home.

Indeed, there are really very few of your local merchants who do not sell Electric appliances of one sort or another.

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Soft crepe slips that are plain tailored for practicality or

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Filly chemises in the loveliest pastel colors make enchanting gifts! Lace trimmed or with appliques in contrasting colors.

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News Briefs

Young men appreciate spats for Xmas, from Olsons.

Effective Dec. 1, 1931, the local Railway Express Agency will pick up and deliver all express inside the village limits. E. N. Barbeau, agent, is always ready to accommodate the public.

Mrs. John Burt returned Saturday to her home in Cheboygan after spending the week visiting Mr. and Mrs. Nick Schlotz. Mrs. Burt is a former well known old resident of Grayling.

Interwoven socks for men, silk or wool, at Olsons.

Among the articles that will be sold at the Woman's Club Rummage Sale Saturday will be a baby cotter, a heavy quilt, warm sweaters, woolen socks. It will be held at the Red Cross health center and will open at 9:30 o'clock.

The United States Civil Service Commission announces an open competitive examination for Aircraft mechanic. All applications must be on file with the manager, Seventh U. S. Civil Service district, Federal building, Chicago, not later than Dec. 21. Applications may be had by applying at any first or second class postoffice in the State of Michigan.

See our complete line of house

slippers for the whole family at very moderate prices, at Olsons.

Mrs. Lucinda Colleen and Miss Marguerite Montour are leaving Sunday to spend a week visiting friends in Detroit and Ann Arbor.

Dance every Saturday night at Temple theatre. Music by "Bill" Johnson's orchestra. Dancing 50c; spectators 25c; ladies free.

Aj Hatten and Miss Leona Gocha, employees of the Michigan Public Service Co., of Gaylord were in Grayling Thursday on business.

The health committee of the Congress Fund will hold their regular meeting on Dec. 18th instead of the 19th at the home of Mrs. George Annis.

Mrs. R. D. Connine and family enjoyed a visit from Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Zimmerman and their son Dr. Zimmerman and wife of Traverse City, Sunday.

George Markwart and Harry Reynolds returned to Royal Oak Friday after spending the hunting season here at the home of the former's sister, Mrs. E. E. Bugby and family.

R. C. A. Radiotrons are the life of your radio. Have them tested and replace the bad ones at Chris Olson's.



Imperial Mince Meat

..... 15c, 2 for 25c

Large cans Quaker Pumpkin

..... 14c, 2 for 25c

Daily Dills, qts. 2 for 35c

Swans Down Cake Flour 29c

Palm Rose Soap, 4 bars 25c

Quick Naphtha, .8 bars 25c

New assortment of fresh candy, nuts, and peanuts at right prices.

Cash & Carry

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WILL CELEBRATE

100TH ANNIVERSARY

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Michigan. In November, 1879 Mercy Hospital was opened to receive patients and in 1897 the first school of nursing was opened to train lay women in the art of nursing. Up to 1908, 10,000 patients from lumbering camps and sawmills had been cared for, many nursed back to health, while others received aid and comfort spiritually as well as temporarily before they entered their journey to eternity. From time to time new foundations were made throughout the State, till at present there are 14 hospitals and about 31 schools in Michigan.

Mercy Hospital, Grayling, which is one of the branches of this great institution, was established and incorporated in April, 1911. It has been in continuous operation since that time. It is therefore entering upon the twenty-first year of its existence and nearly 7,000 patients have been cared for with the best that medical science and equipment could provide. The School of Nursing was opened also in 1911 and has graduated 82 nurses, all of whom are registered nurses and of whom some are holding very responsible positions in the world of nursing.

This institution was made possible by the generosity of the people of Grayling. For an institution of its size Mercy Hospital is believed to be as complete, scientific and modern in its plans and equipment as any other in the State.

The grounds which have been improved by grading, and setting of trees and shrubbery make the environment ideal in its quietness and

beauty and the delightful summer climate of Grayling has attracted invalids from afar.

Mercy Hospital, Grayling, too will unite in whole with the number of Sisters of Mercy throughout the world in celebrating the centenary of the foundation of their Order on next Saturday, December 12, 1831.

May the Sisters keep before their eyes the example left them by their beloved foundress, Rev. Mother Catherine McAuley.

Mercy Hospital Appreciated By Henderson Citizen

Mercy Hospital of this city is a much appreciated institution and has a record of satisfactory accomplishment, dating back over a term of over twenty years. The following is a fair sample of the sentiment that is manifested among some of those who have been patients or have had relatives in Grayling hospital:

Henderson, Mich., Dec. 5, 1931

To the Mother Superior of Mercy Hospital,

Grayling, Michigan.

I wish to take this opportunity to thank you and your staff or assistants for your efficient work in caring for my brother, William C. Rowley who was injured in an automobile accident and died at your hospital last Saturday evening, and it was certainly through no lack of effort on the part of the nurses who had the direct care of him, and in my mind this applies to the whole hospital staff.

You will remember I spent the night of November 27th, that would be one week ago last night in your hospital and was with the nurse that was on duty at that time several times during the night and I can't express myself any better than by simply saying she was right on the job every moment, faithful and true.

May God in his wisdom continue to bless your splendid institution, and again thanking you all, I am,

Most sincerely yours,

Fred B. Rowley.

DEPOSITORS MET TO DISCUSS MATTERS

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inclined to agree with the opinion of Mr. O. W. Longklop.

The Chairman then stated that another matter of importance to the Depositors would be brought up, whereupon, Mr. John Bruun in behalf of the Grayling State Savings Bank (organizing) briefly outlined a proposition whereby this new bank from time to time might take over obligations now due the First National Bank, Bay City, Michigan, as Receiver for Bank of Grayling, such obligations to be paid for by cash less a reasonable discount, an arrangement of this kind would undoubtedly speed up the liquidation of the affairs of the old bank which in turn would benefit the depositors and at the same time give business to Grayling State Savings Bank. The reason for bringing the matter up at this meeting, principally being this, that the Depositors Committee being closely affiliated with the new bank did not desire to take any steps towards an arrangement as here outlined unless the depositors were in favor thereof, also by bringing the matter up now, unjust criticism could not later be directed towards the Depositors Committee or Grayling State Savings Bank should the depositors at this meeting fully express themselves as being in favor of the arrangement here outlined. It being the desire of the Depositors Committee as well as the Grayling State Savings Bank to serve the community and in this case, more particularly the Depositors of Bank of Grayling in the best possible manner. The Chairman then suggested that the matter be discussed and put to a vote. The question was then thoroughly discussed and the advantages of the arrangement here outlined appeared to be very obvious whereupon on motion duly seconded and carried, all votes being for and one against, the following resolution was adopted:

Be it resolved, That the Depositors Committee be and hereby is instructed to negotiate with Grayling State Savings Bank for the sale of such obligations due the old bank as Grayling State Savings Bank can take over from time to time, all sales if any are consummated, to be made for cash less a reasonable discount. The matter was further briefly discussed and the point was brought out that any deal, if and when consummated would have to be approved as to the amount of discount to be paid, etc., by the Receivers, as well as Judge Guy E. Smith, which would give the depositors assurance that any sale or sales made under this plan would be fair and equitable to everybody concerned.

On motion duly seconded and carried by unanimous vote, it was resolved that the Depositors of the Bank of Grayling express their thanks to the members of the School Board for the courtesy extended in making the school auditorium available for this meeting.

There being no further business to come before the meeting, it adjourned at 10:15 o'clock P. M.

Cheer up. Six months from now the primary campaigns will be on in full blast.



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REPORT OF DELEGATES TO GRANGE CONVENTION

We left Grayling just as the noon whistle blew. The sun was shining and it was a real pleasant trip until about 8 miles from Ludington when it started to rain. I guess the weather man thought the farmers needed rain because it rained most of the three days we were there.

The Mayor of Ludington welcomed the Grangers and told them the town was theirs, as the key had been thrown into Lake Michigan.

Tuesday morning we were up early for sightseeing. Although we have lived in Michigan all our lives we had never seen Lake Michigan.

The Tuesday meeting was called

to order by Worthy Master Roxborough. A committee on credentials was appointed by the Worthy Master and it took them all Tuesday and half of Wednesday to get through with credentials. Roll call of officers and new delegates showed that over one-third were delegates who had never attended a State Grange meeting. Former State Master N. P. Hall was introduced and gave an interesting talk. He said:

"It is absolutely necessary for farm folks to stand together and protect our rights or we are sunk. If we do not have our own lawmakers we will see our life's savings swept from us. Taxes have increased from \$39,000.00 to 237,000.00 from 1911 to 1931."

"I hope every member will go

CHURCH NOTES

MICHELSON MEMORIAL

H. J. Salmon, Pastor.

Church School—10:00 A. M.

Morning worship—11:00 A. M.

Senior League—8:00 P. M.

Evening Worship—7:00 P. M.

The Senior League contest has

closed and Thursday evening the

winning side, with Clara Atkinson

as captain, were entertained by Mil-

ford Parker's side. We are having

some interesting discussions.

Let us remind you again of the

Christmas program to be held on

Wednesday evening, December 23rd.

back to his Grange and get more

members to join and when the next

legislature convenes it must and

shall listen to a party that is so

strong as the Grange.

"They, the Banks and all want to

help agriculture but they don't want

it to come out of their pockets. Go

back to your Grange and help save

Michigan, but it cannot be saved

through high taxes."

A. B. Cook, another State Master

from Owosso stated:

"All those who voted against in-

come taxes would today vote for it;

the Grange is given consideration

everywhere. People have worked

for years on the matter of taxation

and can find no relief; it has be-

come a dog and cat story. It has

become a burden to own a home or

farm."

All delegates were appointed on

different committees to act on res-

olutions. Both Mr. Lozon and myself

were chosen on committees.

Tuesday afternoon at Oriole Hall

we saw the Silver Creek degree

team, they having charge of the

meeting. One nice part of the de-

gree team was that most of them

were young folks. Their work was

perfect and it sure was worth go-

ing miles to see. Have seen degree

teams work in other orders but can

truly say Silver Creek Grangers beat

them all. The three executive mem-

bers were elected at this time, also

the place of next year's meeting,

which is East Lansing.

Other State officers spoke, among

whom was Don Stockholm who said

we should attend each meeting of

our Grange. It isn't money but

one's self that we must give.

It was getting near the supper

hour and Bro. Roxborough suggest-

ed we sing "Work For Night Is

Coming" and said if we didn't hurry

we would have to sing "We won't go

Home Till Morning."

Finally at 6:30 meeting of the 58th

State Grange closed.

Friday morning we left for Gray-

ling and home, tired but glad of our

trip, and we extend our thanks to

Crawford County Grange in sending

us as delegates.

Mr. and Mrs. Archie Lozon.

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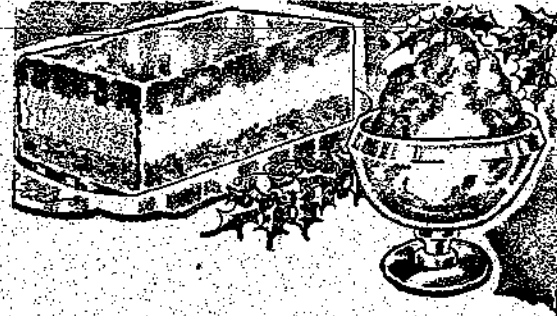
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